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VERDICT OF JURY IN CASE OF JAS. A. ACTON.

Death Attributed to Negligence on Part of United States Electric Lighting Company.

The jury of inquest summoned to pass upon the death of James Arthur Acton. whose body was found in the cable closet of the United State Electric Lighting Company yesterday morning, as published in The Star, convened at the first precinct station today and heard the testimony of several witnesses. The jury returned a verdict holding the company responsible. After stating the young man's death was caused by his coming in contact with a live wire of the company, the verdict concludes: "We believe that the death of James Arthur Acton was due to the negligence of the United States Electric Lighting Company."

The funeral of the young man will take place from the home of his mother, No. 1421 D street northwest, tomorrow afternoon. The body will be interred at Congressional cemetery.

Policeman's Statement.

Policeman L. W. Charlton testified that he saw the body of the deceased on the ground several feet from where it was found yesterday morning. He was informed by Policeman Emmert that the body had been removed from the little frame structure. The hands of the victim appeared as if they had been burned. Witness was informed that the man's hands were on the wire when his dead body was found. One side of his face was very much discolored.

Jesse Lewis, colored, informed the jury that he saw the body of the man partly in the frame structure. Witness did not know whether the man was drunk or asleep, and he did not stop. There was nobody about the closet at the time.

Arthur Trussell, 1312 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, testified to seeing the body nue northwest, testified to seeing the body taken from the closet by Policeman Emmert. Witness had seen Acton several times picking up wood about Barber & Ross' mill, and had also seen him about Bethany Chapel on Sundays. He knew nothing of the young man's mental condinothing of the young man's mental condi-

Alexander Moulton, colored, testified that there were three men about the body when he reached the scene of the fatal accident. The body was then partly in the closet and partly out, with the hands resting on the electric cables. Witness is janitor of the first police station. He reported the finding of the body to Policeman Emmert. The door of the closet was wide open.

Others Give Testimony. William Marshall, colored, told the jury

he saw Acton's body yesterday morning in the closet. The head and arms were in the structure while his legs were outside. Joseph Nightingale gave similar testimony. He was one of the first to see the bedy. It was then about ten minutes after

When witness saw the body he inquired of a colored man nearby what was the matter with the man. The latter said he did not know, and witness upon examining the body found life was extinct. One or two weeks ago he stated he saw a man working in the closet. Witness said he had seen the closet door wide open a number of times.

Policeman Jacobson testified that he had dene duty at times in the vicinity of the plant of the United States Electric Lighting Company. He had seen the closet a number of times, but had never examined it. Witness expressed the belief that the structure is outside the building line. Policeman Catts described the position of the closet, and said he saw the door

unlocked about two months ago. He looked in to see what was there. Witness had

received no complaint from the company about the theft of wire. Thomas H. Garrison, 310 14th street, em-Electric Lighting Company, testified to seeing the body in the wooden structure yesterday morning. Witness had occasion to visit the place to make tests. Five weeks ago he said the door was locked. Since then it has been closed, but not locked. He had gone there and found the door With the exception of employes noopen. With the exception of employes no-body had a right to visit the closet. At one time part of the cable was taken away. The door was nailed, but it was subse-quently broken open. Witness said he did not consider the place dangerous. The insulation, he thought, was nearly perfect, and he thought he would be will-

ing to put his hand on the wire. Witness said the structure was known as a cable closet, and it was built more than three years ago. The right hand of the victim was resting on the cable when the body was found. He said the closet extends about three and one-half feet from the building. The cable in the closet was

charged with 1,000 volts. Considered Closet as Dangerous.

Albert O. Stearns, 2914 Olive avenue, foreman for the Washington Traction and Electric Company, testified that he reached the cable closet after the body had been removed. He had not been in the closet for eight months. No report had been made to him that the lock was out of or-der. The condition of the lock yesterday indicated it had not been used lately. No warning sign was fastened to the door of the closet. He considered the closet as dangerous as he did the back of the switchboard. Witness said nothing had been missing from the closet since the summer of 1899. He was told that wire had been taken from there before he entered the employ of the company. Witness thought the wire was charged with about 950 volts, which was dangerous. Under certain conditions, he said, 100 volt would cause death. He saw no part of the cable bare. He saw no part of the cable bare.

Deputy Coroner Glazebrook testified to the examination he made of the body. The burns on the hands were such as are usually made by electric wires. This closed the testimony and the case was submitted.

PLOT TO KILL MONARCHS.

Discovered by the Police of a Town in Argentina.

A dispatch to the New York Herald from Buenos Ayres, Argentina, via Galveston, Tex., Thursday, says: Police of the town of Rosario, in the province of Santa Fe, have seized papers which prove that a plot against the lives of the Emperor of Germany, the Czar of Russia, the King and Queen of Italy and the Count Turin was recently laid in Paterson, N. J.

Investigation was begun here on the recelpt of dispatches from Berlin, announcing that the police of that city had discovered a plot against the life of Emperor William. These dispatches stated that anarchists from Argentina were the moving spirits in the plan, and that one named Romagnoli had been arrested.

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The movements of Romagnoli, who recently left this country, were traced by government agents. It was found that he came from Rosario, where an anarchist so-

ciety has long been in existence.

The police of that town immediately began an investigation, and finally made a raid upon the quarters of some of the most prominent anarchists. Important papers bearing upon the organization of the society were seized.

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These showed that Romagnoli acted upon direct orders from Paterson. A letter was sent to him telling him that he had been chosen by lot to kill the German emperor and instructing him to go immediately to Berlin. He left Rosario soon afterward and sailed from this port. He did not go directly to Germany, but to

Rome, where it is supposed he communicated with Italian anarchists. He then went to New York, evidently to receive final instructions from the leaders in Paterson. He came to Argentina again and held communication with his friends, and then sailed for Germany, where he was arrested before he could execute his orders. arrested before he could execute his orders, Whether any specific action has been taken to carry out the resolution of the Paterson society for the assassination of the Paterson society for the assassination of the Czar of Russia and the Italian rulers, the police will not say. The German, Italian and Russian legations, however, have been placed in possession of the facts.

Proposed Changes in By-Laws. A meeting of the members of the National Geographic Society for the consideration of certain proposed changes in the by-laws will be held in the hall of the Cosmos Club

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